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REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment is being submitted in order to place the present application in a better condition for examination.

Specifically, Claims 1-20 have been cancelled and Claims 21-40 are newly presented herein. Care has been taken to avoid the introduction of new matter. All of the changes made in this Preliminary Amendment are made without prejudice, so that the matter deleted may be reintroduced as necessary for prosecution of the application.

Summary and Conclusion:

It is submitted that Applicants have provided a new and unique A METHOD FOR DETERMINING VISION DEFECTS AND FOR COLLECTING DATA FOR CORRECTING VISION DEFECTS OF THE EYE BY INTERACTION OF A PATIENT WITH AN EXAMINER AND APPARATUS THEREFOR. It is submitted that the claims, as now presented, are fully distinguishable over the prior art. Therefore, it is requested that a Notice of Allowance be issued at an early date.

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Respectfully submitted,

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